IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

BERTHET, F-X. J., et al.

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Vaccine Composition Comprising Transferrin

Binding Protein and Hsf from Gram Negative Bacteria

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ARCHIE, Nina

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

Applicants respectfully request consideration of this response submitted in reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed October 6, 2008. A three-month period was set for the response. Applicants respectfully petition for a three-month extension of time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct the extension fee, and any other fees, required in association with submission of this, concurrent, and future responses from Deposit Account No. 07-1392.

Remarks begin on page two (2) of this paper.